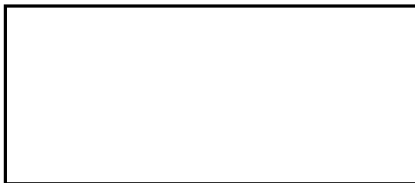


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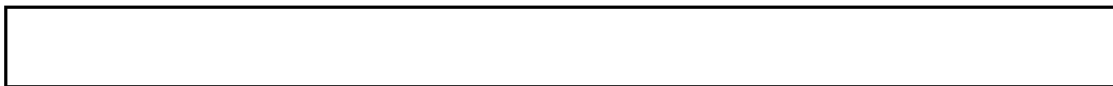


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*Peru: An extraordinary convention of APRA party leaders late last night was scheduled to decide whether Victor Raul Haya de la Torre would accede to the military leaders' demand of 2 July that he renounce his candidacy for president and leave the country before 8 July. This demand, in the form of an ultimatum, was delivered to Haya personally through President Prado. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] if Haya does not withdraw, a military junta will take over the government, presumably with the intention of installing Fernando Belaunde as President.

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In a meeting early on 3 July with the National Executive Committee of APRA, Haya explained that his withdrawal was the only way to protect APRA's congressional plurality. The committee rejected Haya's offer to withdraw but agreed to present the problem to the extraordinary convention. Reportedly, most of the party leaders in Lima are in favor of rejecting the ultimatum, and Haya has agreed to abide by the convention's decision.

Three months before the 10 June election, the military leaders threatened to prevent Haya's accession to office even if he won more than one third of the popular vote. APRA leaders, who effectively control 80 percent of Peru's organized labor, retaliated with a threat to call a general strike if they believed Haya were "cheated" out of the presidency. Preparations for a strike in several industries have been reported in the press in APRA strongholds in northern and central Peru. A direct confrontation of the Peruvian Army and striking APRA members would result in widespread violence and possibly civil war. [REDACTED]

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*Brazil: [Brazil's first cabinet crisis under the parliamentary system adopted last September continues as a result of the resignation 4 July of Prime Minister Moura Andrade after one day in office. Andrade's resignation was prompted by a dispute with President Goulart over certain cabinet appointments. The constitution provides that the cabinet is "designated" by the Prime Minister and "nominated" by the President. The dispute reflects a basic power struggle between the presidency and congress which approved Andrade's appointment by a large majority after rejecting Goulart's first choice.]

[Goulart must now nominate a third candidate for the Prime Ministry within three days. If this choice is rejected by the Chamber of Deputies, nomination becomes the prerogative of the Senate. The Senate cannot, however, choose one of the three previous nominees and thus its probable desire to choose Senate President Andrade is barred.]

[Agitation over the cabinet crisis apparently centers in Rio de Janeiro with various meetings or plans for meetings of students, labor leaders and Communists-- which support Goulart. The relative isolation of Brasilia, where political negotiations are under way, is restricting agitation there. There are some indications of uneasiness in the army, but the navy and the air force are reported calm.]

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Cuba-USSR: Cuban Deputy Premier and Armed Forces Minister Raul Castro, accompanied by "prominent Cuban military leaders," arrived in Moscow on 2 July at the invitation of the Soviet Defense Ministry, according to a TASS announcement. This is Raul Castro's first visit to Moscow since June 1960, when he apparently negotiated the initial agreement for Soviet military aid to Cuba. [Another agreement apparently was concluded in the summer of 1961 for additional Soviet bloc arms which have been delivered this year. Castro now may be seeking more advanced equipment--such as MIG-21 jet fighters and surface-to-air missiles--which Moscow now is providing to Indonesia, Egypt, and Iraq.]

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France: Premier Pompidou faces a censure vote in the National Assembly debate set for 10-12 July on his request for additional funds for De Gaulle's nuclear weapons program. [The funds are needed because new estimates show that the cost of the Pierrelatte gaseous diffusion plant, which will produce enriched uranium, has risen to ten to twelve times the original estimate of \$110,000,000.]

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Proponents of censure hope for the support of various assembly members who feel that an independent French nuclear force will impede European integration but who have until now refrained from voting against the government for the sake of an Algerian settlement. They argue that there are better uses for "the billions of francs saved in Algeria," and may decide a better election issue is unlikely to arise in this parliament's term. De Gaulle is expected to dissolve the assembly if Pompidou is overthrown, but he might decide to avoid holding elections in August, within the 20- to 40-day constitutional period, by governing for the time being under the constitutional provision for emergency powers.

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[*India: Krishna Menon in late June instructed his deputy in charge of defense production to explore the possibility of purchasing an American destroyer to copy for manufacture of these warships in India. Negotiations on such a deal with the British have been under way for some time.]

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[In seeking US cooperation in some defense project, Menon may be trying to give the appearance of balance in Indian military procurement in hopes of neutralizing opposition to purchases of Soviet equipment in the more critical and sensitive aircraft field. Nehru seems to be in no hurry to reach a final decision on the purchase of MIG-21s, despite intensive lobbying by Menon; there are indications that the government's decision may be deferred until late this month or early August. Meanwhile, consideration reportedly is being given to mixed procurement, involving aircraft from Soviet and Western sources, and greater attention is being focused on the longer range question of manufacturing supersonic aircraft in India.]

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NOTE: The last sentence of paragraph 1 of the brief concerning South Vietnam of the Central Intelligence Bulletin of 3 July (Page ii) should read as follows:

At the same time, persistent reports of heavy infiltration during May and June suggest that the recent Viet Cong military inactivity may be associated with a period of reorganization to assimilate recent infiltrators with existing platoons and companies into new battalions.

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NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE ESTIMATE

The United States Intelligence Board, on 29 June 1962, approved the following national intelligence estimate:

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